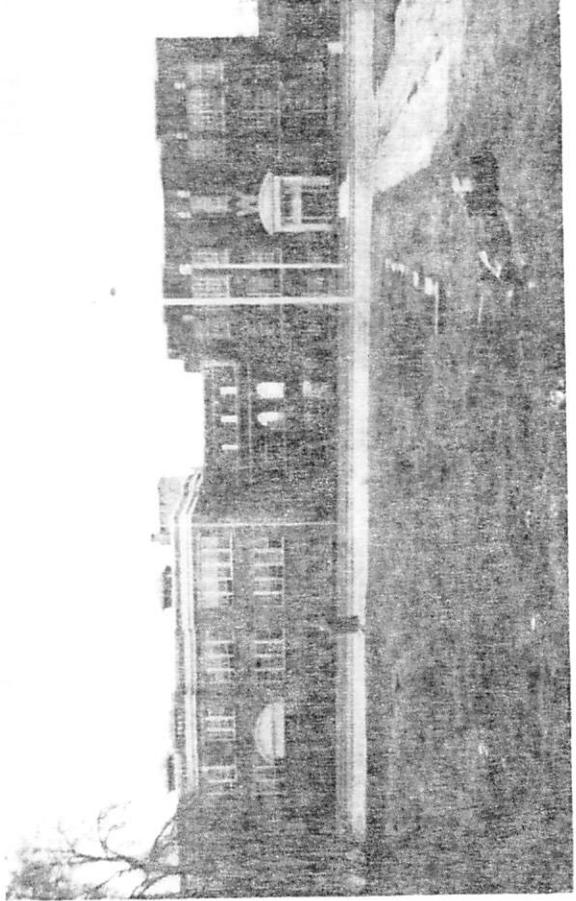


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A view from the east of Wasatch High School as it is today.

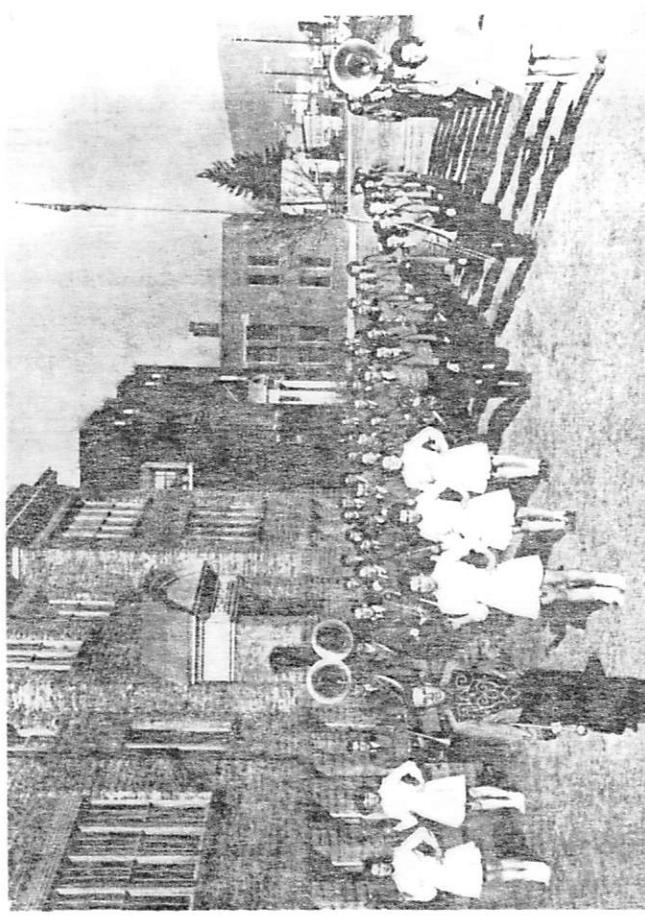
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The Wasatch High School Building. The south part was built in 1912.

The Wasatch High School Band of the 1940's in their new uniforms. Director of the band was Vernon Johansen.

students laughed in years to come about the "floating tables." Two tables were the very limited resources of the physics and domestic arts departments, and each tried to claim them. If they were missing when one or the other classes convened, spirited rivalry ensued until possession was finally assured.

When the domestic arts work was begun during the school's second year, no sewing machines were available for instruction. The girls in the classes immediately began a canvas of business houses and townspeople and soon had collected enough funds to buy two treadle machines. The faculty headed the list of contributors with \$15.00, and J. W. Elvde, president of the board of education, followed with \$10. Others added donations of 50 cents or \$1.00 until the necessary funds were collected.

By the close of the 1910-11 school year, the first high school students were ready for graduation. These first graduates, who had completed three years' work, included Walter Burger, Midway; Reno Crook, Clark Creek; Nora Clyde, Eva Buys, Strom McDonald, Forrest Luke, Josephine Murdock, Douglas Murdock, Naomi Duke, Abe Turner, Sylvan Rasband, Fred Cleary, Emma Jensen, Leon Peterson and Lata Cleary, all of Heber and Mable Ritchie, Charleston.

Those who entered the high school as freshmen in the 1908 beginning year were ready for graduation in the Spring of 1912, and comprised the first full four-year graduating class. Of the 75 who were eligible for enrollment during the first year, eleven graduated. They were Guy Duke, Merrill Moulton, Clayton Montgomery, Elijah Hickin, Cardwell Cleary,



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